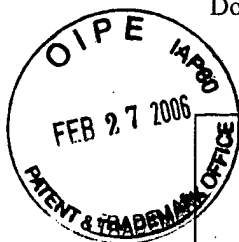


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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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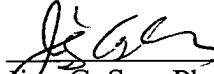
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Respectfully submitted,

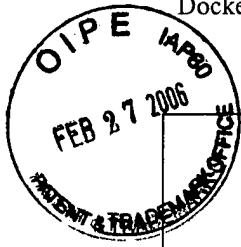
  
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Dear Sir:

**AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

Responsive to the Office Action mailed November 28, 2005, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are represented by the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 84 of this paper.

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